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Sir:

With reference to the filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office of an application for patent in the name(s) of:

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entitled:

PROFITS GIVE-BACK DEVICE, PROFITS GIVE-BACK METHOD, PROGRAM STORAGE MEDIA,
PROFITS GIVE-BACK SYSTEM, CONTENT PROVIDING DEVICE, CONTENT PROVIDING METHOD,
PROGRAM STORAGE MEDIA, AND CONTENT PROVIDING SYSTEM

The following are enclosed:

- ☒ Specification (89 pages)
☒ 28 Sheet(s) of Drawings
☒ 36 Claim(s) (including 8 independent claim(s))
☐ This application contains a multiple dependent claim

- ☒ Our check for \$ 1398.00, calculated on the basis of the claims as amended by any enclosed preliminary amendment as follows:

Basic Fee, \$710.00 (\$355.00)	\$ 710.00
Number of Claims in excess of 20 at \$18.00 (\$9.00) each: 16	288.00
Number of Independent Claims in excess of 3 at \$80.00 (\$40.00) each: 5	400.00
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee at \$270.00 (\$135.00)	-0-
Total Filing Fee	\$ 1398.00
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- ☒ Oath or Declaration and Power of Attorney
☒ New ☐ signed ☒ unsigned
☐ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d))

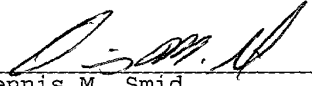
- ☒ Certified copy of each of the following application(s) to substantiate the claim(s) for priority made in the Declaration:

<u>Application No.</u>	<u>Filed</u>	<u>In</u>
2000-097880	30 March 2000	Japan
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed are papers constituting the above patent application which is being filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.53 without a signed Declaration. Please accord a filing date and a serial number to such application and inform the undersigned thereof so that a signed Declaration and the surcharge required by 37 C.F.R. 1.16(e) may be duly filed.

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